

--1. (Twice Amended) A communication terminal device for controlling a connecting state of a call into a desired connecting state upon a predetermined operation by a user, comprising:

display means for displaying processing items available to the user relative to a call;

B₁ input means for selecting and determining a desired processing item out of said processing items displayed on said display means; and

control means for controlling displaying of the processing items available to the user relative to a present call and to an incoming call on said display means and controlling the present call and the incoming call into a respective connecting state corresponding to the processing item selected and [determine] determined by the operation of said input means by a user, wherein said control means controls said display means to display said processing items on said display means when a predetermined operation key of said input means is pushed by the user.

B₂ --~~8~~⁷. (Twice Amended) The communication terminal device according to claim [7]1, wherein

said control means controls said display means to display a list of said processing items available to the user on said display means for each call.

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--^{10.}11. (Twice Amended) The communication terminal device according to claim [7]1, wherein said control means controls said display means to display a combination of processings for each call on said display means as said processing items.

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--^{17.}18. (Twice Amended) A communicating method for controlling a connecting state of a call into a desired connecting state upon a predetermined operation by a user, comprising the steps of:

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displaying processing items available to the user relative to the call on a display;
selecting and determining a desired processing item out of said processing items displayed on said display by the user operating an input unit; and

controlling the processing items being displayed on said display and controlling the call into a connecting state corresponding to the processing item selected and determined by the operation of said input unit by the user, wherein said step of controlling the processing items includes displaying said processing items on said display when a predetermined selection operation is made by the user.

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--^{23.}25. (Twice Amended) The communicating method according to claim [24]¹⁷18, wherein
said step of controlling the processing items includes listing said processing items available to the call on said

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B₆ ^{concl.} display [means] for each call.

B₆ ^{26.} --~~28.~~ (Twice Amended) The communicating method according to claim [24]~~18~~¹⁷, wherein

said step of controlling said processing items includes displaying a combination of processings for each call on said display means as said processing items.--

REMARKS

Claims 1-6, 8-23, and 25-34 remain in the application with claims 1, 8, 11, 18, 25, and 28 having been amended hereby. Claims 7 and 24 have been cancelled, without prejudice or disclaimer.

Reconsideration is respectfully requested of the rejection of claims 1-3, 6, 17-20, 23, and 34 under 35 USC 103(a), as being unpatentable over Ahlberg et al. in view of Bayless et al., and of the rejection of claims 4 and 21, as being unpatentable over Ahlberg et al. in view of Bayless et al. and in further view of Fujisawa.

Applicant acknowledges the Examiner's finding of allowable subject matter in claims 7 and 24 which directly depend from independent claims 1 and 18, respectively, as indicated in the Office Action at paragraph 7.

Accordingly, independent claims 1 and 18 have been amended to include all limitations of claims 7 and 24, respectively, and it is respectfully submitted that amended independent claims 1 and 18, and the claims depending therefrom,